

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: John C. Adler
 Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.
 Title: MESH WITH PROTECTION CHANNEL ACCESS (MPCA)
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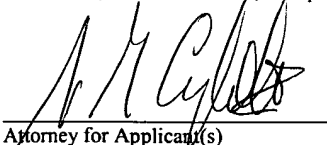
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Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the December 18, 2003. outstanding Office Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until April 18, 2004 to respond.

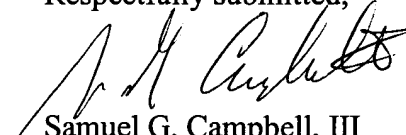
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